



Appln. No. 09/890,497
Reply to Office Action dated December 27, 2005

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Hauro Togashi, et al.
Serial No. : 09/890,497
For : RECORDING APPARATUS, RECORDING METHOD,
REPRODUCING APPARATUS, AND REPRODUCING
METHOD
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 27, 2005, Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension-of-time, extending the period for response to May 30, 2006 (May 27, 2006 being a Saturday and May 29, 2006 being a holiday). Applicants enclose

herewith a check in the amount of \$450.00 as payment of the extension-of-time fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.